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Applicant: Bavykin, et al.

Title: "COLUMN DEVICE FOR ISOLATION AND LABELING OF  
NUCLEIC ACIDS"

Serial No.: 09/751,654

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Examiner: Suryaprabha Chunduru

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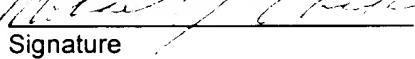
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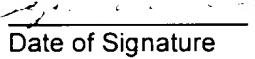
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Date of Signature

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The  
fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Left After Amendment	Highest No. Already Paid for	Extra	Present Rate	Add'L Fee
Claims	27	27	0	\$09	\$00
Independent Claims	8	8	0	\$42	<u>\$00</u>
Total additional fee for this Amendment:					\$00

In re Bavykin, et al. (S.N. 09/751,654)  
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Also enclosed herewith is the following:

- 1.) A three page Amendment;
- 2.) A Terminal Disclaimer, including the following:  
Terminal Disclaimer signed by Attorney of record;  
37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) statements for the two properties at issue;  
A \$55.00 disclaimer fee;
- 3.) A One Month Extension of Time Petition, plus a \$55.00 Petition Fee;
- 4.) Return Postcard, per M.P.E.P. 503.

Total additional fee for this Amendment: \$110.00

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to change any additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 or credit any over payments to the PTO Deposit Account of Cherskov & Flaynik number 501709.

Respectfully Submitted,

**CHERSKOV & FLAYNIK**

BY



Michael J. Cherskov (Reg # 33,664)